



City of New Philadelphia

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Safety Director

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March 28, 2002

Dear Mr. Cimperman:

On March 19, 2002, you plead guilty in open court to a fifth degree felony – unauthorized use of telecommunications property _2913.04 (B) Ohio Revised Code).

R.C. 737.052 provides in pertinent part: ...(2) (a) "The Director of Public Safety shall terminate the employment of a Chief of Police, member of the police department, or auxiliary police officer who does either of the following: (i) pleads guilty to a felony;..."

Because you plead guilty to a felony I am by operation of law terminating you.

Further, the police department rules and regulations require police officers to obey all laws. You violated this rule by pleading guilty to a felony.

Please consider these to be additional charges against you which will be presented to the arbitrator at you upcoming arbitration.

Should you or your attorney require any further information, you may contact Attorney Robert J. Tscholl in writing.

Very truly yours,

Greg Popham

cc: Mike Piotrowski, FOP/OLC Representative
Mayor Brodzinski

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